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For: ABSORPTION ENHANCERS SUCH AS E.G. BHT, BHA OR PROPYL GALLATE

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AMENDMENT

Applicants hereby submit this in response to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2006 ("Office Action").

A response to the Office Action was originally due September 9, 2006. Applicants hereby petition for a four-month extension of time in which to submit a response or an amendment in response to the Office Action. The fee for a four-month extension of time is \$1590 and a check in that amount is enclosed. Therefore, the deadline for responding to the Office Action is now January 9, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment and Response is being timely filed.

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